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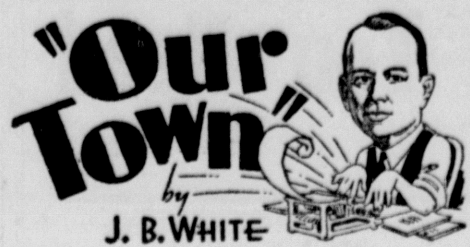
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How Green Was Our Valley?

Cameron, Texas
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Dear J. B.

Not very long ago under our "How Green Was Our Valley" caption you gave us a very interesting editorial of "If I were a candidate for Mayor or City Alderman" which was not altogether unfruitful inasmuch as one and possibly two officials were elected on the basis of incorporating some of your planks into their platform which I am persuaded to believe will be lived up to religiously.

Submitted herewith are a few planks which you might use later in another editorial entitled "If I were a candidate for County Commissioner."

1. I know absolutely nothing about building country roads, farm to market roads, culverts, or bridges having spent the last several years in building up what my neighbors believe to be a successful business or farm. But if elected I promise the voters of Milam County that I will strive to my utmost to find out about these things.

2. Since I do not know anything about road building and because of its very vital importance to every taxpayer in the County and since all my predecessors have heretofore played at this game I will pledge my support and influence in the County Court to see that a Highway Engineer is employed for Milam County to see that this important job is done.

3. Merchants of my district will vote for me because with good roads their cash registers will click in spite of the bad weather. Farmers will vote for me because these good roads will enable them to go to market at will, send their children to school throughout the term without interruption and otherwise enjoy life in a manner comparable with their urban neighbors.

4. Because of being relieved from the physical duties of road building of which I know nothing anyhow I will have much more time and I promise you that I will at all times be available to listen to all of the complaints from any taxpayer and time to do something about it.

5. This highway engineer will be a man who has vast knowledge of road construction, costs, maintenance, supplies and etc. He will know how to head a delegation to the State Capitol and bring to Milam County several hundred thousand dollars worth of roads at a nominal cost to us.

6. If I and others like me are elected to these offices Milam County can look forward to an eventual awakening from her lethargic siesta shake off that Tobacco Road perspective and take her rightful place among progressive counties of the great state of Texas.

W. J. RICE.

The Planning Board in its report in October 1945 recommended 25 objectives, only a few of them requiring a tax levy and in no case was there to be an increase in taxes. The Board planned these recommendations based upon certain economies to be effected leaving 35 cents of the present tax rate of \$1.50 to be used for processing funded debts for new improvements.

These major improvements were and are abundantly possible if the City Council will adopt economy measures and plan the expenditure of the public revenue by cutting off the growing absorption of the tax money by incidental overhead items that accrue as a result of the long established and tolerated system of apportioning the income to things that yield nothing but waste.

Of the 25 objectives recommended by the Planning Board very few called for funded debts. Most of them were to be achieved without a tax. One of the objectives was a Municipal Building, something new and modern and at a cost of \$58,000. "No city may lay claim to progress or become an example of frugality to its people until it has provided a home of its own," says the report. After detailing the type of building and submitting plans and specifications the Board made the following observation: "We wish to observe in this connection that the city is now

Last Rites For Leo Harris Were Held At Rockdale Sunday

Funeral services for Leo Harris Justice of peace, were held Sunday at Phillips and Luckey funeral chapel with Rev. James W. Askew of Round Rock and Rev. Frank Tulloch, of the First Baptist church here, officiating. Burial was in the IOOF cemetery with Masonic ritual.

Mr. Harris died suddenly Saturday. He was a native of Troy, Ala., and had lived here since 1918. He had served this county precinct as justice of peace at interval terms for some years, his present term being in the second year.

Surviving are his wife, a sister Mrs. Roschelle Dewitt and a number of nieces and nephews.

Jim Eads To Fill Leo Harris' Unexpired Term At Rockdale

The commissioners court in session Monday appointed Jim Eads of Rockdale, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 4.

Mr. Eads was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Leo Harris, who died in Rockdale Saturday morning.

Three Students From Cameron enter STSC

Three students from Cameron, Denson Provasek, James Hawkins and Thelma Gandy are among the students who enrolled for the first time this semester at Southwest Texas State College.

The registration total last week, Friday, Feb. 13, had reached 1,623, a record for the spring semester and only 78 below the fall term's record enrollment. Administration officials predicted that Saturday enrollment would bring the total even higher.

Hearing Postponed To A Later Date

The Texas Railroad Commission has advised the Cameron Chamber of Commerce that the hearing that was scheduled to be held in Austin, Texas February 12, 1948, concerning the Texas and New Orleans Railroad Company's application for authority to discontinue passenger train service between Waco and Yoakum, Texas, was postponed to a later date.

The postponement was caused by unfavorable weather conditions and the date for another hearing has not been set.

The Chamber of Commerce will be notified of the new date and a large delegation from Cameron and Milam county is expected to attend in protest of the railroads attempt to discontinue train service between Waco and Yoakum.

Fire Badly Damages The Fred Reno Home Tuesday Afternoon

The home of Fred Reno on 907 E 13th street was badly damaged Tuesday afternoon when fire broke out in the roof of the second story. The fire was discovered by a neighbor, who immediately called the Reno home. The firemen were then summoned.

The second story roof was burned beyond repair and much damage to the furniture and walls. Mr. Reno estimated the loss to run into the thousands of dollars.

Joe Barber Last Rites Are Held At Rockdale

Joe Barber of the Pleasant Hill community died Saturday following an extended illness.

Funeral services were held Sunday at the Pleasant Hill church with Rev. J. A. McIver of Fort Worth, a brother-in-law, officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery there.

Surviving are his wife, a sister, Mrs. H. E. Bryant of Thorndale and a brother, Albert Barber, of Rockdale.

Mr. Barber is an uncle of Judge Ed Gunn of Cameron and a brother of I. N. Barber, who served as district clerk of Milam county for six years. He was 72 years old and died on the farm where he was born. Mr. Barber was a farmer and stockman all of his life.

RETAILERS TAKE LOSS KEEP FAITH WITH US

Noticeable decline in the price of certain commodities in the food stores of Cameron made consumers realize something good from the tumble in commodity levels over the country.

Retail Merchants in Cameron were taking their losses on items affected by the price decline. These were not serious enough to hurt. Consumers were generally pleased.

Flour, meats, shortening and lard were among the items feeling the major decline.

Some food items were not going down, noticeably Irish potatoes. One of the commodities on which lower prices would help more than any other is feed but thus far there has been no decline.

Many of the staple items have not been affected. Clothing prices are coming down and this is reflected in the clearances of stocks at the department stores. Lower prices are reflected in ready to wear in mens clothing especially.

Cameron was maintaining its leadership as a retail market and merchandising aside from the bad weather was hitting a good pace.

CONVENTION DELEGATES SLATE TO BE CHOSEN

1948 is political year and the first activity will be the Precinct Presidential Primaries to be held on the first Saturday in May.

J. B. White, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee for Milam County, said early this week that he would convene the Executive Committee in April to name Precinct convention chairman and that the County Convention will be held on Tuesday following the Primaries on the first Saturday in May.

The County Convention will name delegates to the state convention and the state convention will name delegates to the National Democratic Convention to be held in Philadelphia in June.

The Presidential Primaries are by convention vote. Voters meet in their respective Precincts and elect delegates to the county Convention. In this way the voters make known their choice for President and also pass such resolutions as they deem expedient to give expression to their political feelings.

The county conventions are held each four years, one in May and one following the August Primaries to nominate candidates for state office after the nominees have been chosen by popular vote in July and August. This is largely a formality but the law directs that a convention shall certify candidates.

Three meetings of the Executive Committee are held this year, Chairman White said, once to arrange for the Presidential Primaries, once to arrange the order of the ballot and assess the candidates and once to certify the results of the election.

Milano Man Legislative Candidate in Primaries

H. F. PASCHALL FILES FOR REPRESENTATIVE

H. F. Paschall, widely known citizen of Milam County and a resident of Milano, to-day filed for a place on the ballot for Representative from the 64th District, Milam County, and issued the following statement:

To the people of Milam County: "I wish to take this opportunity and means of announcing to you my candidacy for representative of the 64th District of Texas. In introducing myself to the ones who are not personally acquainted with me I wish to say that I was born and reared in this county, living near Milano all my life, attending the local high schools then finally A&M College of Texas.

"I have been engaged in the operation of a small family size farm in the Milano community throughout my age of a business career.

"My platform to you is a very simple one and built to the interest

FREEZE TAKES HEAVY TOLL WHEAT AND COTTON IN CRACK UP

WEATHER DAMAGED HIGHWAYS, CROPS

AUSTIN—The bite that old man winter has put on Texas this year has caused the "worst damage" in history to highways, State Maintenance Engineer G. B. Finley said.

Winter's driving rains, sleet, snow and ice have also damaged vegetable crops, and the intense cold weather has taken dollars out of the pockets of Texas workers.

How much monetary loss has been suffered as a consequence of the cold fronts which have swept down from the north can not be estimated at present, officials said.

Highway damage alone will amount to several millions. Prior to this week's rugged weather, Dallas county had set damage to its roads at half a million dollars. West Texas, the Panhandle, and Northwest Texas roads were all hard hit by icing conditions.

Sheathed in ice on two different occasions, Texas highways contracted. The ice melted and the highways began to expand. Water soaking into the road beds didn't help the situation any. Materials deteriorate under such conditions.

"Sometimes a road will look like it's going to crumble up and then it will settle back and not give us any trouble," Finley explained.

"Then again a road that looks all right will suddenly go to pieces. It may be a month or more before we can assess the damage."

"I do know that the county roads which are lightly built have been hurt very badly," he added.

V. C. Childs who keeps agriculture statistics in Texas for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, said it is impossible to say how much farmers

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DRIVERS WARNED ABOUT CAR LICENSES

Highway Patrolmen T. M. Leshe and W. N. Eddleman issued a warning Saturday to people driving automobiles with out of state licenses that the following plates have expired:

Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina and Washington.

Motorists must renew their registrations in their home state or in Texas as soon as the licenses expire.

A Proclamation

WHEREAS disease of the heart and blood vessels constitutes our Nation's most important medical and public health problem in that it affects more persons than any other disease, leads all others as a cause of death, occasions a greater number of days lost from work than any other cause, and

WHEREAS the week including February 21 each year is being sponsored by the American Heart Association as National Heart Week for the purpose of focusing public attention on the medical, social and economic aspects of this primary health problem, and of reminding the Nation that solution depends upon the fullest cooperation of the people, science, government, and health and welfare agencies:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, A. W. McCullin, Mayor of Cameron, do hereby order that the week beginning February 14 1948 be observed in the City of Cameron as National Heart Week. I further call upon schools, churches, scientific bodies, civic associations, business establishments, and other organizations and the people of the City of Cameron generally, to observe this National Heart Week with appropriate activities.

STUDENTS TO STAGE COMEDY ON FEBRUARY 20

"The Funny Brats" will solve the financial and social problems of their mother and their older brother when they make their appearance in Yoe High Auditorium on February 20, at 8 o'clock. At that time the Junior Class will present the hilarious, three-act comedy, "The Funny Brats" under the direction of Mrs. R. B. Caraway.

Those in the cast are Jane Flinn as Harriett Gresham, Sylvia's daughter; Rose Marie Johnson as Aurora Beralis Pike, the servant; Josephine Matocha as Mrs. Sylvia Gresham, a beautiful widow; Grady Allen as Dick Gresham, her younger son; Sherwood McLerran as Tom Gresham, her older son; Dallis Green as Lauree Lynde, Tom's fiancée; Delma Stone as Loren Gresham, Sylvia's brother-in-law; Martha Werner as Gwynette Gadwood, an astrologist; Florence Storey as Aunt Hettie Higginbotham, Sylvia's aunt; Edward Horstmann as Whaley McWhorter, Sylvia's fiancé; Robert Zoltz as Boogerface Boggs, Aurora's boy friend. Others assisting in the production are Vera Ruth Turner, business manager, Frank Brock, stage director, and Elba Jean Colburn, publicity director.

Those who plan to witness the performance are advised to arrive at the auditorium early as it is confidently anticipated that a capacity crowd will attend. This is one time that you can be sure of getting your money's worth and have an evening of relaxation and amusement.

LAST RITES HELD FOR GEORGE N. SMITH

Funeral services will be held today for George N. Smith, who died in Austin Monday morning. He was 81 years of age.

Mr. Smith was born in Marengo county Alabama, and for many years was a blacksmith at Jones Prairie.

He is survived by one son, Hubert M. Smith of Seminole, Okla. and three daughters, Mrs. Archie McLerran, Mrs. Dewey Black of Cameron and Mrs. R. A. Wall of Prentiss, Texas. He has seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be from the Little River Baptist Church Tuesday, February 17 at 3:30 p. m. being conducted by Rev. Kirby McGuire of Waco.

Interment was in the Little River cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Marsh and Irving Fabrikant are spending a few days in Cameron this week.

FREIGHT CARS JUMP TRACKS NEAR ROGERS

Twenty-four cars of a fast Santa Fe freight train southbound out of Temple, jumped the tracks three miles south of Rogers at 3:20 a. m. yesterday, and piled themselves pell-mell into a heap of twisted steel and splintered boxcars.

No one was injured in the accident, even though the cars were heaped on top of each other, smashed open and scattered in the ditch alongside the railroad embankment.

Only the center section of the 52-car train was derailed, roughly 15 cars in the fore and aft portions remained upright.

A. B. Clements, superintendent of the Santa Fe in Temple, stated yesterday afternoon that investigation had not as yet shown the cause of the derailment.

"The cars were so severely damaged in the pile-up," Mr. Clements said, "that it is next to impossible to tell what the condition of wheel sections was before the accident."

According to Mr. Clements, the 15th car in the train was the first to leave the rails.

The ramming boxcars tore up 350 feet of track, dug up part of the earth embankment, and cleanly cut down a steel signal lightpost.

The derailed cars were loaded with wheat and cotton—there were no perishable items or livestock on the train.

The jumble of broken cars and disconnected wheel sections piled from the tracks nearly to the edge of Highway 190.

Work crews of the Santa Fe were busy all day yesterday clearing the debris and laying new rails over the ripped up section of the tracks.

Mr. Clements stated that the work would continue without stop until the tracks were cleared and the southern route re-opened.

Estimates yesterday were that through service would start about 4 a. m. Wednesday morning.

Engineer of the train, number 27, was G. C. Thompson and the conductor was I. J. Bakke, both of Temple.—Temple Telegram.

COIN BOXES HELP TO FIGHT HEART DISEASE

Cameron is putting its heart into the fight against heart disease, American Number One Killer. Red plastic, heart-shaped collection boxes are being displayed on retail counters and other prominent public places through out National Heart Week (February 14-21). Funds collected during this observance will go to (the American Heart Association, 1790 Broadway, New York, which is sponsoring Heart Week) or (to the local heart association) to further vitally needed research in diseases of the heart and circulation. These diseases are responsible for one out every three deaths in the United States. The plastic hearts were created by the prominent industrial designer, Stanley Chamberlain of New York, especially for use by the American Heart Association as a unique collection device. Production was handled by Monoplastics, Inc., of Georgetown, Conn., with plastic material provided by the Celanese Corporation, New York City.

Worst Is Over Now We Hope

The worst of Winter should be over, but there likely will be some more "northerns" and freezing weather before the flowers bloom.

Unless it comes in the next few days, which isn't likely, we should not get any more spells like those we've had.

The weather man forecast maximum temperatures of 70 degrees for Monday and Tuesday, with a low of 45 for Tuesday. The weather should be fair and mild.

William Price is among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital.

TICKETS NOW READY FOR ANNUAL GATHERING HERE

Plans were well under way here today for the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce on March 9. The banquet will be held in the basement of the Methodist church. Henry Siebman, chairman of the ticket committee has ordered the printing and these tickets are now available.

The speaker for the banquet has not yet been announced. The following committees are named: Tickets, Henry Siebman, Publicity, Albert Collins, L. Van Perkins, Arrange-

ments, J. R. Hays, speaker.

Election of directors for the new year has been held and W. F. Arthur was chairman of the committee. Final date for returning the ballots. One of the features of the banquet will be the announcement of the new directors for the coming year.

L. G. Smith, manager, will compile statistics on the achievements of the year. Lester Williams as President will give the annual report and preside at the banquet.

No Boxing Match Thursday Night

Coach Leo Jackson informed the Herald today that there would be no boxing match on Thursday night as was previously scheduled.

This bout was to have been with the Rosebud team, but due to Rosebud not having proper equipment the bout has been called off.

MRS. JENNINGS BREAKS ARM

Mrs. B. M. Jennings of Caldwell fell at her home early Friday morning and suffered a broken left arm. She is a patient in the Newton Memorial Hospital.

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MRS. EARL MOSELEY HEADS DISTRICT 15

Mrs. Earl Moseley is the newly elected Baptist Young People's secretary of District 15. Mrs. Gordon Singleton of Mary Hardin Baylor college of Belton has retired.

The nominating committee composed of seven associate presidents presented Mrs. Moseley's name to the district committee which met in Belton February 5. The district board then elected Mrs. Moseley as the Baptist Young People's secretary for the coming year. The District 15 is composed of Milam, Bell, Lampasas, Creath-Brazos, Austin, Burnett-Llaano, Williamson and Burleson-Lee counties.

Mrs. Moseley has been local young people secretary of the Cameron Baptist church for the past seven years.

The young people's work is composed of YWA, RA, GA and Sunbeam.

The high point of the year's work for the young people is the coronation at Mary Hardin Baylor house party, which will be held in June. And for the boys it is the District Camp.

Rev. Joe Gilmore New Educational Director At Church

Rev. Joe Gilmore of Baylor University in Waco is the new educational Director at the First Baptist Church in Cameron.

Rev. Gilmore, a student in Baylor was formerly educational director at the First Baptist Church at West, Texas and has accepted the call of the local church here to become a part-time educational director.

He began his duties here on February 8.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Gilmore are both talented and accomplished musicians and the First Baptist church choir plans weekly choir rehearsals.

Rev. and Mrs. Gilmore will come to Cameron each Wednesday evening and will spend the week ends here.

NEW NORTHER MAY MISS TEXAS ENTIRELY

The temperature in Cameron early Saturday morning was 26½ degrees with the sun shining bright and warming up rapidly.

Clear skies and a bright sun Friday broke the back of a blizzard which claimed at least ten lives in Texas, but a new norther swirled southward across Montana and the Dakotas at a fast pace.

The new norther will probably blow into Kansas and Oklahoma late Saturday, but that the main force would probably strike Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama instead of Texas.

This forecast contained words that Cameronites have been waiting to hear: "Fair and Warmer." The temperatures are predicted for the day around 55 degrees and probably in the lower thirties tonight.

Mrs. India Stidham who has been in the St. Edwards Hospital receiving treatment for a bad hip which she suffered from an accidental fall at her home more than a week ago, is improving and expects to return to her home this week. Her sister, Mrs. Ida Mae Hunter, of San Antonio is here with her.

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HEART DISEASE TAKES VERY HIGH TOLL HERE

The Texas Heart Association, in conjunction with the American Heart Association, is endorsing National Heart Week. This is done primarily to bring before the public the necessity of combating the increasing mortality as a result of heart disease.

Heart disease at the present time leads the list as a cause of death. In fact, cancer, accidents, kidney disease, pneumonia and tuberculosis combined do not cause death in as great a number as do diseases of the heart and blood vessels. One-third of all heart disease at all ages is caused by rheumatic fever and rheumatic fever causes 90 per cent of all heart disease in children. Rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease cause almost five times as many deaths as infantile paralysis, whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and meningitis combined. A million Americans today are suffering from rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease and more than 3,700,000 Americans have some form of heart disease and another 3,700,000 have hardening of the arteries and high blood pressure which are major contributing causes of heart disease.

It is because of this appalling number and apparent increase in number of individuals suffering from heart disease that the American Heart Association has felt the necessity to bring the public's attention to this serious situation. This is the first effort that has been made to combat heart disease and it will be necessary to have contributions in order to educate the public and conduct research in heart disease. It is for this reason that the American Heart Association appeals to the general public to be as free in their contributions as possible. In order to accomplish this, plastic hearts have been placed at strategic points throughout the city in order that contributions may be collected. This money will be used by the American Heart Association and the Texas Heart Association in combating cardiac disease throughout the United States.

Printing is a home industry.

Mrs. E. B. Logdon has returned from Houston where she spent three weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. George Graves is much improved from a recent fall when she suffered a broken foot.

Mrs. J. W. Clark is among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Misses Elsie and Edna Kelm of Ben Arnold shopped in Cameron recently.

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GOOD NEWS FOR FARM OWNERS IN COUNTY

Office of the Texas Employment Service will not be moved from Cameron.

Representative A. N. Green telephoned the Daily Herald from Austin late Tuesday that he had just talked to Chairman Harry Bengé Crozier and the Department will continue the service in Cameron.

This is good news for the farmers of this area who have already conferred with employment officials about a labor supply this spring and fall.

Senator Kyle Vick of Waco could not be in Austin on Tuesday to talk with Mr. Crozier who had just returned from Washington, but made

strong representations in behalf of the farmers of Milam county and his help was one of the deciding factors in securing further employment service here.

It was said that the service may restrict the number of employees here temporarily but may increase the personnel later.

L. G. Smith of the Chamber of Commerce, threw the influence of that body behind the demand that the Employment Service be continued and was very pleased over the success.

The Employment Service here has done a very fine job under L. H. Odell.

Steve Mueck of Rural Route 1 was in Cameron Monday to renew his subscription to The Cameron Herald. He says the weather has been bad and the roads are very muddy.

Christmas Tree On Court House Lawn Should Be Removed

The Christmas Tree on the court house lawn was once a thing of beauty with its frail harvest of delight for thousands of children.

Now it is brown and no longer may know the gentle ways of snow on some far off hillside. It should be taken down. Christmas trees are not common place things. They are seasonal and exclusive to the Holiday season.

The Herald feels it is saying what many have said and are saying. It should be taken away, not left to mock the beauty it was when sparkling and green it stood a welcome to many.

Cameron Boy Wins Jersey At Houston

Franklin Glaser FFA boy of Cameron won a \$200 registered Jersey calf in the dairy milking contest which was a feature of the stock show in Houston. A picture of Franklin was published in the Chronicle February 8.

The calf which will be brought to the Glaser farm here was given by Jesse Jones.

Ladis Marek Jr., a freshman at Southwestern Georgetown has returned to his studies after spending the mid-semester holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ladis Marek.

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BELTON—In recognition of nine years' work as Baptist Young People's secretary of District 15, Mrs. Gordon G. Singleton was recently elected to life membership of the district executive board. Mrs. Singleton was first elected to the office in January, 1938.

The executive committee of the district woman's Missionary Union, in honoring the retiring secretary, announced a gift of \$250 to Mary Hardin-Baylor college, to be used in a manner designated by Mrs. Singleton. Mrs. Finis Williams, Austin, presented at a district WMU meeting, a gold cameo locket and ear screws to Mrs. Singleton as a gift from the district WMU.

In the nine years that Mrs. Singleton has been Young People's secretary, the number of Young Woman's Auxiliaries has more than doubled in the district. She is the originator of the annual house parties held in the summer at Mary Hardin-Baylor, to which about 500 girls in the YWA and Girl's Auxiliary come.

Mrs. Singleton was a member of the state executive board in Georgia and directed young people's work in the Atlanta association for several years. She is succeeded as Young People's secretary by Mrs. Earl Moseley, Cameron.

Snow Storm Closes Schools; Highways Closed In Texas

The worst blizzard in years in Texas had swept temperatures down to 15 degrees at Childress at noon Wednesday. Snow and ice were covering the highways.

Schools in the blizzard area were closed down and all northwest Texas people were warned to stay off the highways and in some sections highways were closed.

The blizzard was due to hit Dallas by mid afternoon and temperatures would be down to 15 in Dallas and in the central Texas below 20. Cloudy, rain and ice were in the black picture. Freezing winds had reached 45 miles per hour in the cold spots of the state.

DR. T. L. DENSON TO SPONSOR DRIVE HERE

Funds for research by the American Heart Association will be sought in Cameron it was announced late Wednesday by Dr. T. Leland Denson who will sponsor the drive here.

Placards in the form of a heart will be put out at vantage points in the city where contributors may conveniently place their contributions.

When you see these hearts you may know that it is our privilege to have a share in this great movement. Heart disease is now the No. 1 fatality in America. Dr. Denson was taking a few hours' of time from his clinic late Wednesday to distribute the hearts.

Civic organizations including the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars will be asked to cooperate and speakers will be assigned to explain the importance of these funds for research.

Dr. Denson said he would rely heavily upon newspapers to aid in the campaign by publishing prepared information articles on the drive.

JOE BARON SERIOUSLY ILL

Joe Baron of Cameron is seriously ill and is a patient in the McKinney General Hospital. Mr. Baron was carried to McKinney by the Marek-Burns ambulance, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Lyda. Mrs. Baron remained in Dallas to be near her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jungmann of Buckholts shopped in Cameron recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Breddes of Ft. Smith, Arkansas are visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pate.

NOSE OUT HEARNE IN THRILLER LAST NIGHT

The Cameron Yoemen won the first half of District 26-A Basketball title here last night by a score of 31 to 29 nosing out the Hearne Eagles in one of the most thrilling games in the history of the local court.

Bob Wilkerson led with 11 points. Laurence Michalka looped ten and Billy Hanes got 8. These stars thrilled the fans in a wild scoring spree spread over all four quarters of the game. Grimm for the Eagles scored 10 points.

Blackburn and Pruitt of Waco refereed the game.

The teams were tied 7 to 7 at the first quarter. At the half Cameron had 16 and Hearne 13. In the third quarter Cameron scored 12 points

and Hearne 8 and it was 28 to 21 in favor of the Yoemen. The Eagles pulled away in the last quarter to score 8 points while Cameron could get but one and the game was tied up. In the extra play to decide the winner Billy Hanes managed 2 more points and Hearne did not score.

Virginia Beth Lake, baby daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lake of Houston is a patient in the Newton Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Lake are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lake of Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Britton of Robstown spent Saturday in Cameron on business and visited his sister, Mrs. Ida Jenness.

Miss Bessie Dunham had as week end guests her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Dunham and son of Bryan.



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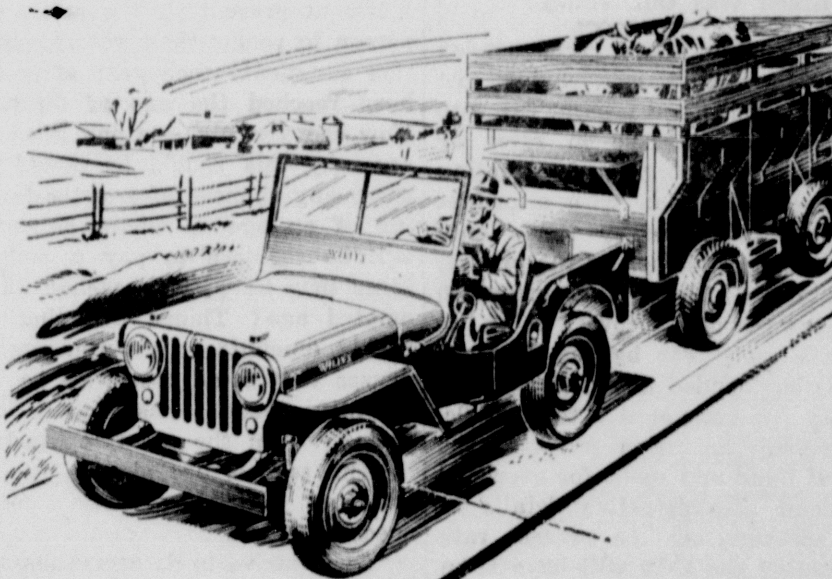


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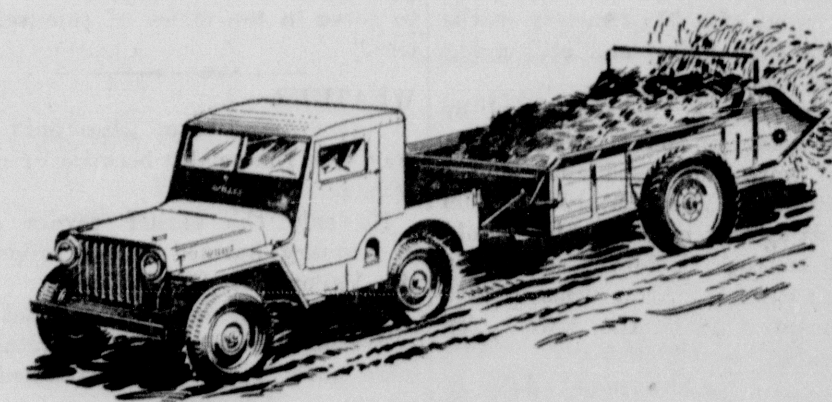
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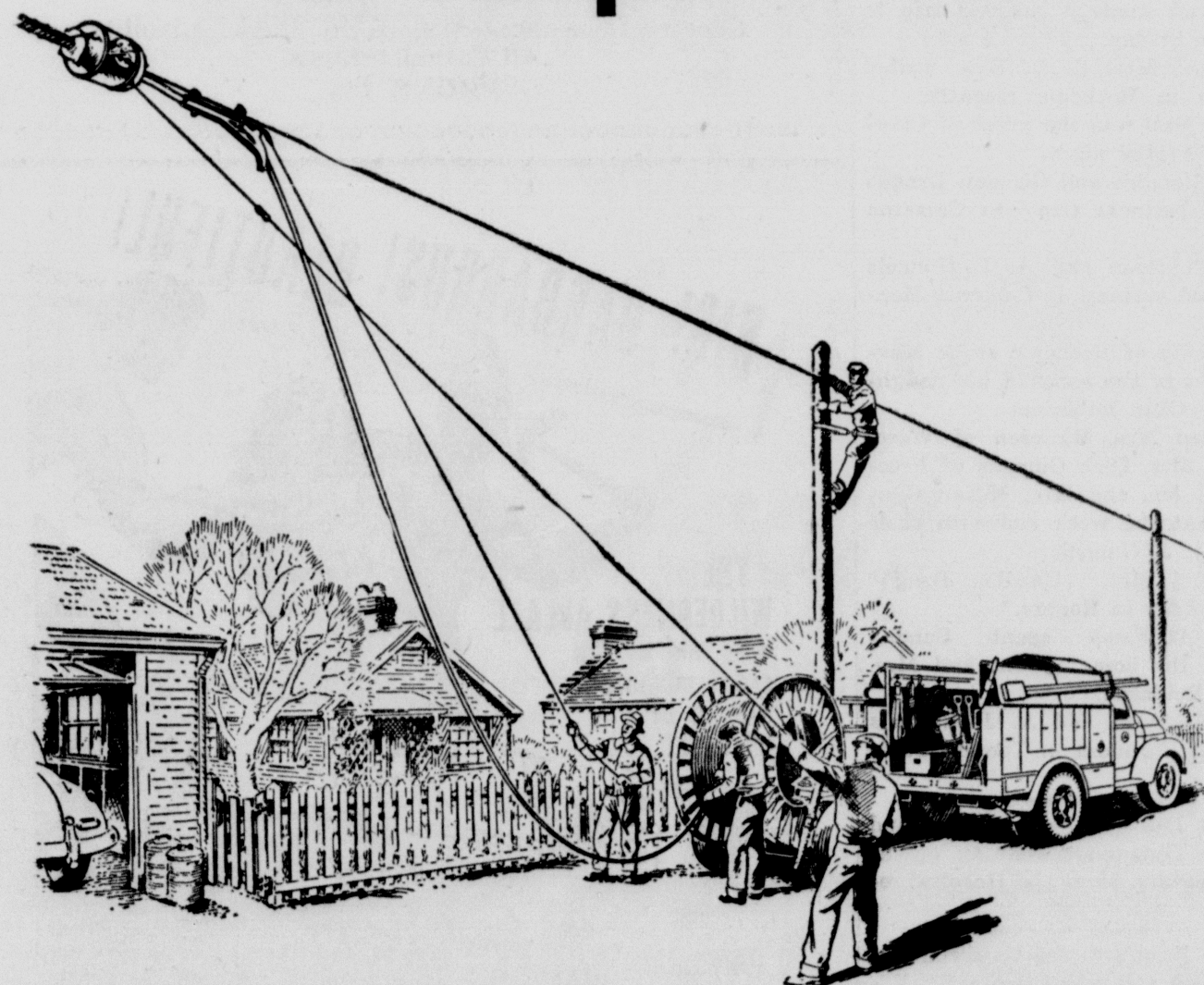
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install new cables to connect telephones. That's why we need more cables in practically every telephone exchange.

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How Green Was Our Valley?

OUR TOWN—

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paying \$150.00 per month or \$1,800 per year in rentals for municipal housing and for other public services, one the Health Unit and space for both are expressly provided in the proposed new building. We point out that in 20 years at present rent expenditures the city will have lost \$36,000.00 and in 30 years the principal sum would exceed more than 90 per cent of the cost of the new building."

The building was proposed as a memorial to the Cameron Volunteer Fire Department. "We can think of no company of citizens who are more deserving and in proportion to their long and honorable service to the city, have had less in public gratitude. We think this building in addition to providing a modern home for our city government, would be a fitting memorial to the Firemen who through the long years of our history, have become one among our finest traditions in service, unselfishly to our people."

This program was not a debt burden schedule but a well directed plan to save the tax money. In the end we would have something to show for the money we have collected from the tax payers.

The City Council was unwilling to give this program a chance. They saw to it that the people never had a chance to approve or reject it.

There was a policy of keeping things like they are and in so doing went on into the inflation years, increased their administrative overheads and ended up in 1948 with a deficit and with nothing to show for the money that was spent. In the fiscal year from April 1, 1946 to March 31, 1947 the City collected and spent a total of \$71,718.62 and of this amount only 18 cents of the \$1.50 tax rate went for permanent improvements made in the past, exclusive of the funded debt for public school buildings which required 22c. To put it plainly the city spent \$1.10 for overheads and only 40 cents for things you can see including schools. How Green Was Our Valley?

The Planning Board recommended \$200,000.00 for street paving the money to come from present tax rate and with no increase in rates or valuations. How? By simply adopting a business like plan with a budget restricted to necessary items only and utilizing a portion of the present tax rate of \$1.50. It is important to note that the city recovers 3c on its tax rate each year by the payment of existing bonded debts. Since 1945 the city has recovered a total of 9c. This money has been put into the General Fund and spent for overhead costs and administrative details in large measure. At the present rate of spending the City will have from \$1.15 to \$1.20 in its general fund by the end of 1948 to top off in routine spending.

The Planning Board set out an immediate \$100,000.00 for paving and in 5 years an additional \$100,000.00 and in that length of time 15c would have accrued as a result of processed funded debts already existing. The Street Paving, Municipal Building, Memorial Auditorium, were to be paid for out of a 35c recovery in the tax rate then going and still going into the General Fund.

The plan was not haphazard or hastily made up but represented a year of work and based upon schedules to retire immediately \$225,000 in bonds and at a rate which would have been rock bottom. Cameron is unique among American cities in that its bonded debt is the lowest for comparable municipalities.

The city's total bonded debt is \$85,600.00 and this includes bonded debts for school buildings. Actually the city's bonded debt is very negligible requiring only a tax of 18c to process. This includes the Municipal Airport.

Here are some informative figures on the fiscal year 1946 to 1947: The city collected a total of \$105,161.17. The school received \$83,442.55. The city collected \$10,854.46 in delinquent taxes and for the previous year collected \$8,026.46 in delinquent taxes.

From 1919 to 1946 a total of \$51,366.23 in delinquent taxes accumulated due the city. A total of \$42,101.34 in delinquent taxes were due the city on March 31, 1947. At the beginning of the fiscal year 1946 the city had a balance of \$14,426.56 in the general fund with much of that pledged to be spent by the outgoing administration. On March 31, 1947 the city had \$9,734 in its general fund, owned money at the bank and has had to borrow heavily during the past year. The exact financial status of this date will be revealed by the audit to be made later this year.

What the people would like to know is how we stand financially. It is not important to know about committee assignments and besides that has been going on for more than a half century. The city has not made a financial statement in 5 years. How Green Was Our Valley?

Political Announcements MILAM COUNTY

The Herald is authorized to make the following announcements for the nomination for the respective offices listed, subject to the Democratic Primary on Saturday, July 24, 1948.

For Representative 64th District:
FRED JACKSON
A. N. GREEN
H. F. PASCHALL

For Representative 65th District:
FRANK M. HALEY

For District Judge:
W. A. (Bill) MORRISON

For District Clerk:
ROY VAUGHAN
GRADY ALLEN

For County Clerk:
SHIRLEY McLEAN

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS CITY

For Mayor
ROY GRIFFITH

For City Secretary:
W. H. STAFFORD

For Alderman:
(Place No. 1)
AUG. G. KUNZ

For City Marshal
JIM MCGOLDRICK
(Re-Election)

PASCHALL—

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above statements. Listed below are a few of the things I am especially interested in seeing this county get and for which I pledge my special efforts to get done:

1. Rural roads support.
2. Elimination of petty laws that require the expenditures of the tax payers money, for instance, we have a law at present that requires each person to renew their voters exemption certificate each year after they have reached the age of 60 years. Now can you give me any good reason why this should be done? Are there any chances of a voter becoming of an age to where he or she will be required to pay a poll tax after they have once reached an exempted age? Things like that cost untold amounts in maintenance expenses that could otherwise be used for more needed assistance or saved entirely from the county's overhead.

"The schools are also in need of advanced legislation for certain specific uses.

"I will strive to do everything possible for industrial development for our country. This county should have an experiment station for there is no other source for agricultural development to which we can look in improving our farming methods.

Our soils and our section are peculiarly adapted to such a station.

"As the campaign develops I shall have more to say about what I propose to seek for the people I hope to serve in the office of representative."

WEATHER—

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may lose financially because of crop damage.

He said the earlier severe cold in January harmed tender crops in the Valley and South Texas.

Green corn, potatoes, tomatoes, and stop growth of root vegetables were hurt. Tomatoes were killed in all stages of growth and will have to be replanted, Childs reported.

The citrus crop has not been hurt.

The Texas employment commission had no reports on financial losses incurred by Texas workers who remained at home when factories and businesses establishments shut down in order to conserve fuel on the exceptionally cold days.

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creamulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creamulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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A&M Receives 16,189 Acres



"This is about as near as we can come to turning swords into plowshares," said Colonel Karl E. Wallace southwest War Assets Administrator, (left) as he presented title to 16,189 acres of the Bluebonnet Ordinance

Works to C. C. Kreuger, a director of Texas A&M College, which will convert the property into the nation's largest experimental farm. The presentation took place during recent ceremonies at McGregor.

WANT-ADS

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FOR SALE

The Boedeker, Batte & Schiller Gin plant in Cameron, either one half interest carrying management, or title to entire plant as desired.

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NOTICE

This is to give notice that Louie Gerrick's place north of the Rice farm is posted against trespassing, hunting and fishing.

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FOR SALE—Slightly used 2 horse wagon. Chas. Boggan at Milano. 41-1tp

FOR SALE—1937 tudor Chevrolet. In good condition. See Frank Moraw, Burlington. 41-2tp

SPECIAL

Special on all Rooster Chicks at only three cents each while they last. Some one week old. Also starting straight run chicks at day old prices. Meat prices are high, better raise some broilers. Ideal Hatchery. 41-1tc

LOST—Between Buckholts and Rogers brown leather cigarette case with Ranson lighter attached. Centimental value. Return to Pauline Michalka, Veteran Hospital, Temple or call 507, Cameron, Reward. 41-1tc

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SEVERAL—thousand bales of good bright Johnson grass hay for sale in blocks of 50 bales or more. R. L. Batte. 39-4tc

YOEMEN WIN OVER GEORGETOWN IN FINALS

The Cameron Yoemen got a much-yearned-for and long-awaited Valentine gift Saturday night—the District 26-A basketball championship.

It broke a long, long cage title drought in this Milam county town, and caused riotous rejoicing that echoed throughout the major part of the county.

The Yoemen broke the hearts of a game Georgetown crew in the finals Saturday night, and after trailing early in the game, gave a last-half spurt that won the game for them going away, 36-27.

Cameron led 16-12 at the half, then added 10 points in each of the last two heats. Lawrence Michalka led the local team with 12 points, and Dave Pennington paced Georgetown with 10.

In its other appearance Saturday, Cameron thumped Taylor, 36-25, after leading all the way. Bobby Wilkerson was high for the Yoemen with 13 points and Calvin Schroeder with eight topped Taylor shooters.

Georgetown had to struggle past two double-tough foes, Rosebud and Taylor, before gaining the final round.

It took two overtime periods and a lot of luck to edge Rosebud, 29-28, after six goals which would have won for Rosebud were narrowly missed. Buddy Dolan made the winning free throw.

Pennington topped Georgetown scorers with 12 points, and Dave Sapp with 11 points, led Rosebud.

Georgetown trailed Taylor early in the game, and were suffering from a 19-17 deficit at halftime, but rallied in the last half to win.

Pennington kept the high-point habit with 13, and Schroeder of Taylor led the losers with eight.

In the other game of the day, Taylor barely edged past Franklin, 32-30. Franklin jumped to an early 7-0 lead and was ahead 19-16 at the intermission, but Taylor grabbed the lead with four minutes to play and never released its grip.

Aubrey Stephens with 16 points topped the winners, and Billy Mc-



Mahon with 15 was high for the losers.

The all-tournament team picked by officials at the close of the meet was: David Pennington of Georgetown. Raymond Pack of Hearne. John Arend of Taylor. David Sapp of Rosebud. Bobby Wilkerson of Cameron. Wilkerson was the only man who also made the first 26-A all-tourney team.

Coach Dick Young and the winning Yoe team were presented with heart shaped boxes of valentine candy, also Coach Young was presented an award for presenting the winning team.

Cameron will next play in the region, and then go to the state tournament, if it wins there.

MRS. STIDHAM IMPROVING

Mrs. India Stidham who accidentally fell at her home more than two weeks ago, was taken to St. Edwards Hospital here. Saturday she was operated on for a bad hip she suffered in the fall. She is reported doing as well as can be expected. Her sister Mrs. Ida Mae Hunter of San Antonio, is here taking care of the Stidham rooming house while her sister is ill.

Mrs. H. C. Tindall was called to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Harris who is very ill at her home in Waco.

Mrs. Bell Richardson, sister of Mrs. J. V. Eanes underwent an emergency operation at Hillcrest Hospital in Waco late Tuesday afternoon.

Leo Moraw of Burlington transacted business in Cameron recently.

W. M. Brown of Rural Rt. 4 transacted business in Cameron recently.

The Commissioners court that was supposed to meet Thursday was postponed due to the bad weather. They will have their meeting Feb. 16 if the weather permits.

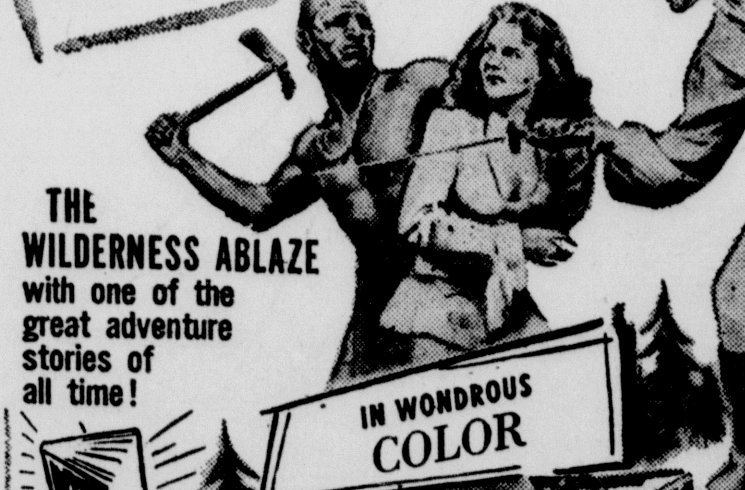


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THE MILAM THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29, MARCH 1

Society in the News

Mrs. Ellis Coker Is Hostess to Happy Time 42 Club Here

Mrs. Ellis Coker was hostess to the Happy Time 42 Club at her home Thursday, at 2:30 p. m.

Valentine motif was used for decorations.

During the afternoon, Mrs. Jesse Martin and Mrs. Raney won high score, Mrs. H. Allen won low and Mrs. J. V. Eanes and Mrs. Pat Yarbrough won 42.

Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Raney were visitors for the party and Mesdames Homer Allen, Oscar Hightower and Bill Storey were welcomed as new members.

Mrs. Coker was assisted by Mrs. L. C. Angell, Mrs. Raney and Mrs. H. C. Tindall in serving refreshments of chocolate pie and coffee.

The next meeting will be held February 19 with Mrs. J. H. Angell as hostess.

Miss Mavis Shelley And Richard Ramsey Wed At Rogers

The wedding of Miss Mavis Shelley to A. Richard Ramsey took place Wednesday evening, February 11, 1948 at the home of Rev. R. C. Brown, of Rogers at 8:45 o'clock who read the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Shelley of Rogers and a graduate of Rogers High School.

She was attractively dressed in a late model of light blue suit with blue accessories, and wore an orchid corsage.

Mr. Ramsey is the son of Mrs. J. Z. Ramsey of Bryan, and after graduating from the Caldwell High School attended A&M College. He spent three years in service, 15 months was in the Pacific, Dutch New Guinea, Ie Shima and Okinawa.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Persky and Miss Valera Williams of Rogers.

The bridegroom after returning spectator of Hiway work that is being inspector of the building of the big bridge across Little River, and had made his home in Cameron among his many friends here.

After a few days wedding trip to Houston, they will make their home for the present at Rogers. Mr. Ramsey is employed in Cameron as in from the service, had charge as done in this county.

MRS. ENGLISH GOES TO AUSTIN

Mrs. Ed F. English was taken to the Confederate Widows home in Austin last Saturday morning where she will make her home in the future. Green's Ambulance took her and the trip was not hard on her. She was accompanied by Mrs. Charles F. Swift who reports that Mrs. English stood the trip nicely.

Joan Kirk, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Kirk of Cameron is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

John Norton Springer Celebrates Fifth Birthday With Party

John Norton Springer was honored on his 5th birthday with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Springer, Saturday, February 14.

The home was decorated in Valentine Motif. As each child arrived they were presented with a heart. Pink for the girls and blue for the boys.

Miss Kathrine Flinn entertained the children by reading a number of stories and Lecky Morris, son of Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Morris sang "Five years old to-day".

Mrs. Springer served the children ice cream and cake. The cake was a three tiered with a heart on top and candles.

The following were present for the party: Mary and Betty Kestenbaum, Peggy and Linda Schiller, Suzanne Lippman, Ann Allison, Sue Ann Crow, Kay McDonald, LaNelle Rogers, La Nell Fikes, Patricia Raymond Lee McCown Joe Esslinger, Stanley Price, Larry Wright, Jimmy and Charles McGregor, Donnie Robinson, Mary Ellen Ingram and Rebecca Hardin.

John Norton presented his friends with a valentine, stick candy and bubble gum. He received many gifts.

Mrs. James Cryer Is Complimented By Linen Shower

Friday evening Mrs. James Cryer, the former Miss Dorothy Koch who recently married in Cameron, was complimented at a linen shower given by Mrs. Vesper Christian at the home of Mrs. C. Edward Frain.

A Valentine motif was accented in decorations and appointments. The lace covered table, in the dining room had for its centerpiece an arrangement of red and white carnations that were entwined with lacy fern and red chenille hearts.

In the guessing games played awards were made and in turn presented to the honoree. The numerous packages displayed were presented to the bride in appropriate verse by Mrs. Irma Dunnington.

Refreshments of hot chocolate with heart shaped sandwiches, cookies and candies, were served. Mrs. J. A. Cryer of Cameron, mother of the bridegroom, was among the guests.

Miss Marjorie Denson, student at Baylor University, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Denson. She was accompanied by two of the schoolmates, Miss Ann Harris of Shreveport, La., and Miss Janie Meyer of Plano, Texas.

Womans Missionary Society Meets With First Christian Church

The Womans Missionary Society of the First Christian church entertained members and invited friends with a banquet in the church parlors on Tuesday evening, February 10 at 7:30 p. m. naming as honored guest Miss Connie Gray, Missionary to China who is home on furlough and is making a tour and visiting Christian churches.

Tables were laid in white and the Valentine Motif was used. Two red candles in crystal holders with a centerpiece of greenery and red cellophane graced the speakers table. In the background on a table rested the open Bible and a small Christian flag.

A delicious banquet supper was served consisting of chicken with spaghetti, pickles, salad, rolls, fruit salad and pie with coffee.

Rev. Joe G. Wick, pastor of the First Christian Church served as toastmaster. Rev. R. L. Lemons, pastor of the First Methodist church offered grace. Rev. H. E. Crone of Temple and pastor of the Rogers Christian church introduced the guest speaker of the evening.

Miss Gray told of her work as a missionary and stressed the need for missionaries in the East and the Orient. She told of the hardships she endured and also related the story of adopting a little girl 18 years ago and showed the group the picture of her adopted daughter. Her talk was impressive.

Rev. Joe Wick gave the benediction.

Mrs. Alving L. Witcher is president of the W. M. S. of the First Christian church. Other officers are Mrs. Stanley Hughes and Mrs. Clark Kelly. Assisting in serving were all members of the W. M. S. and Mrs. Frank H. Reid assisted in the promotion of the banquet.

Out of town guests were: Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Crone of Temple, Mrs. Kennedy of Tanglewood, California, Miss Connie Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Conn R. Isaac of Rockdale and Mr. and Mrs. Odum of San Gabriel.

The W. M. S. presented Miss Gray with a corsage. The church and W. M. S. gave her a token of remembrance which was presented to Miss Gray by Rev. Wick.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris and two daughters, Linda and Sue of Pittsburg spent the week end in the home of his brother and family of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Harris.

THE CAMERON HERALD

FEBRUARY 19, 1948

Verda Lee Stecher And Clarence Cameron Married February 3

Miss Verda Lee Stecher and Clarence E. Cameron of Lampasas were married Tuesday, February 3, 1948.

The ceremony took place at 9 a. m. at the St. Mary's Rectory at Temple. Rev. Pat. O'Riley performed the double ring ceremony in the presence of close friends and members of the family.

The bride wore a white wool suit trimmed in navy with navy accessories. Her corsage was pink rosebuds. They were attended by Miss Estelle Necker of Waco and Robert A. Stecher of Temple, brother of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Stecher. Out of town guests were: A. R. Stecher, father of the bride, Mrs. B. J. Matocha and daughter, Josephine of Cameron and Miss Ida Steever of Waco.

The bride is a graduate of Yoe High School and Providence Hospital School of nursing. She is also a veteran of the Army Nurse Corps in World War II.

The groom is a graduate of Lampasas High School and a veteran of World War II. He is employed with the Veterans Administration in Temple.

They will make their home at 1002 South Main in Temple.

World Community Is Theme Women's Guild At St. James Church

The Women's Guild of the St. James, Vogelsang Church met Sunday afternoon at the church with 29 members answering to roll call.

Theme of the meeting "The Christian Woman in the World Community."

Mrs. Otto Schulz, president presided and called the meeting to order with these words. "As if in preparation for such a time as this God has been building up a Christian fellowship which now extends into almost every nation and binds citizens of them all together, in true unity and christian love."

Mrs. John Matyastik read a poem titled "The Church One Foundation". Mrs. Gus Pimpler gave the scripture text and Mrs. Fred Anderson the opening prayer.

Mesdames, P. L. Bergum, Willis Vogelsang and Mrs. E. H. Miller gave the program.

Rev. Anderson gave the topic discussing "The Christian Woman and the church message to the world".

Mrs. Will Stall, secretary read the minutes of the last meeting. They

were adopted to the secretary's books as they were read.

Mrs. Matyastik, treasurer, reported all bills were paid for the closing year, and a balance of \$34.46.

The chairman of the various departments gave their yearly reports, among them being the Membership chairman, Mrs. Bergum stated she had given out 67 pledge cards, while 63 members had responded, making a total pledge amounting to \$56.75.

Mrs. Minnie Sager, Thank Offering chairman, reported through this channel it had taken in \$22.31.

Mrs. Spurlin Collins, reported that several boxes of used clothing were shipped over seas with three families sending a box every month.

Mrs. Willis Vogelsang appointed chairman for the "Reading courses; group one, Mrs. Robert Kalkbrenner; group two, Mrs. John Matyastik; group three, Miss Olga Lange; group four, Mrs. Raymond Darkemeyer; group five, Mrs. Fred Anderson.

The fine books on the reading course to be read for recognition, two must be selected from the current list from the section headed missions, one from the section headed inspirational, one from fiction and Biography.

Recognition is given at the annual Women's Guild Regional meeting, to those Women's Guild having 25 per cent of their members fulfilling these requirements.

The new officers are: Mrs. P. L. Bergum, president; Mrs. E. H. Miller, vice president (re-elected); Mrs. F. C. Anderson, Secretary; Mrs. John Matyastik, treasurer (re-elected).

Mesdames Fred Anderson and Will Stall delegates to the Fall Guild Rally gave their reports, which was very interesting.

A motion was moved that the meeting adjourn to meet in April.

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Society in the News

Co-Workers Union At Baptist Church Meet

The Co-workers training union of the First Baptist church held a training union banquet in the educational building of the First Baptist church on Sunday evening, February 1.

An interesting program was presented and the banquet was enjoyed. The co-workers training union is

one of the eight Baptist training union functioning in First Baptist church and is a union made up of young married couples of the church in training and meets each Sunday evening at 6:30. The co-workers are making rapid progress and have a nice enrollment.

Mrs. Walter Hughes of Gause was a business visitor in Cameron Satur-

Suzanne Lippman Is Honored At Birthday Party At Home Here

Suzanne Barbara Lippman was honored on her 4th birthday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lippman, February 3, 1948.

The dining table was covered with at either end was an arrangement of pink carnations. In the center was the three-tiered heart shaped birthday cake trimmed in pink and topped with four candles representing miniature girls. Plate favors were pink peppermint lollypops.

Mrs. David Shapiro assisted Mrs. Lippman in serving the cake with pink punch to the following guests: Judy Shapiro, Nancy and Laura a white mederia cut work cloth, and Swift, Kay and Jimmy Camp, Jacqueline Dusek, Mary and Betty Kestenbaum, Georgia Gillis, Bobbie Jean and Lee McCowen, Carrol Ann Vaughan and Jean Lester.

Bobbie Jean entertained the children by reading a number of stories. At the conclusion of the party the guests were presented with dainty handkerchiefs from the hostess.

Christian Youth Fellowship Meets

The Young People's Christian Youth Fellowship met with the president, Miss Martha Virginia Black, Monday and elected officers and committee chairmen of the organization.

Officers are Miss Martha Virginia Black, president; Miss Gladys Jewel Martin, vice-president; Miss Anita Dusek, secretary; Robert Johnson, treasurer and Miss Lillie Mae Martin, reporter.

Committee chairmen are Miss Ferrell Kirk, service committee; Miss Lillie Mae Martin, study committee; Miss Shirley Horstmann, recreational committee; Miss Susan Rosson, worship committee.

Phone your news items to 282.

Allene Junek and Alvin Eisefeldt Are Married February 7

Allene Junek daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Junek of Cameron and Alvin Eisefeldt, son of Mrs. Bertha Houston of Cameron were married Saturday, February 7 at 2 p. m. in the home of Judge Dan Tyson who performed the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a aqua suit with a pink carnation corsage.

The couple left for a short honeymoon. They will make their home at Lockhart, where Mr. Eisefeldt is employed at the Bryan oil field. He is a veteran of world war II.

St. Rita Circle In Session February 4

St. Rita Circle held their regular meeting Wednesday, February 4 with Mrs. Caroline Schattle as hostess and Mrs. Stanley Hromcik as co-hostess.

Other than thirty-two members, one visitor, Mrs. Anton Anderle were present.

Rev. George Duda gave an interesting talk on religion.

Refreshments of coffee and fruitcake were served. Next meeting will be held February 18 with Mrs. Albert Matocha as hostess and Miss Amelia Mondrik as co-hostess.

New Electric Organ Arrives Here Monday

The electric Hammond organ equipped with a set of Maas Cathedral chimes and presented to the First Baptist Church in Cameron by Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Cox, longtime active members of the church arrived Monday, February 9, 1948 and was installed on arrival by Reid Music Company of Austin, assisted by Earl Moseley of the Moseley Electric Service here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox lovers of good music stated that they gave the organ in appreciation of God's goodness to them since coming to Cameron. The entire church membership appreciated the gift so very much.

The church as it begins its 96th year of service in Cameron will have regular choir rehearsals. Rev. Joe Gilmore is the New musical director.

WILKERSON IMPROVING

Jack Wilkerson is reported to be improving nicely at the St. Edwards Hospital from injuries he received early this week.

CLOUDY AND HIGHER TEMPERATURES HERE

The temperature in Cameron early Friday morning was 27 degrees, and the sun was shining, promising a drop in temperature. Everything was covered with ice late Thursday and Thursday night, all streets and highways was dangerously slick, but by the weatherman's report the worst has passed.

Snow-bound, ice-locked Texas counted five persons dead last night from causes traced directly or indirectly to the latest bitter siege of winter, now entering its third day.

Two children and their grandmother died of exposure after being trapped in a stalled car on a blizzard-swept Panhandle prairie near Stratford. A woman died of asphyxiation from gas fumes in a Brownfield hotel and a Sherman druggist was killed by an automobile after his own car skidded of an icy highway near Dallas.

The cold blast accompanying the Panhandle blizzard swept on to the Rio Grande from El Paso to Brownsville. Sleet and icy rains fell east of the snow area, producing in many sections the most paralyzing ice conditions of the winter.

Rising temperatures and partly cloudy weather was forecast for all the state by Saturday.

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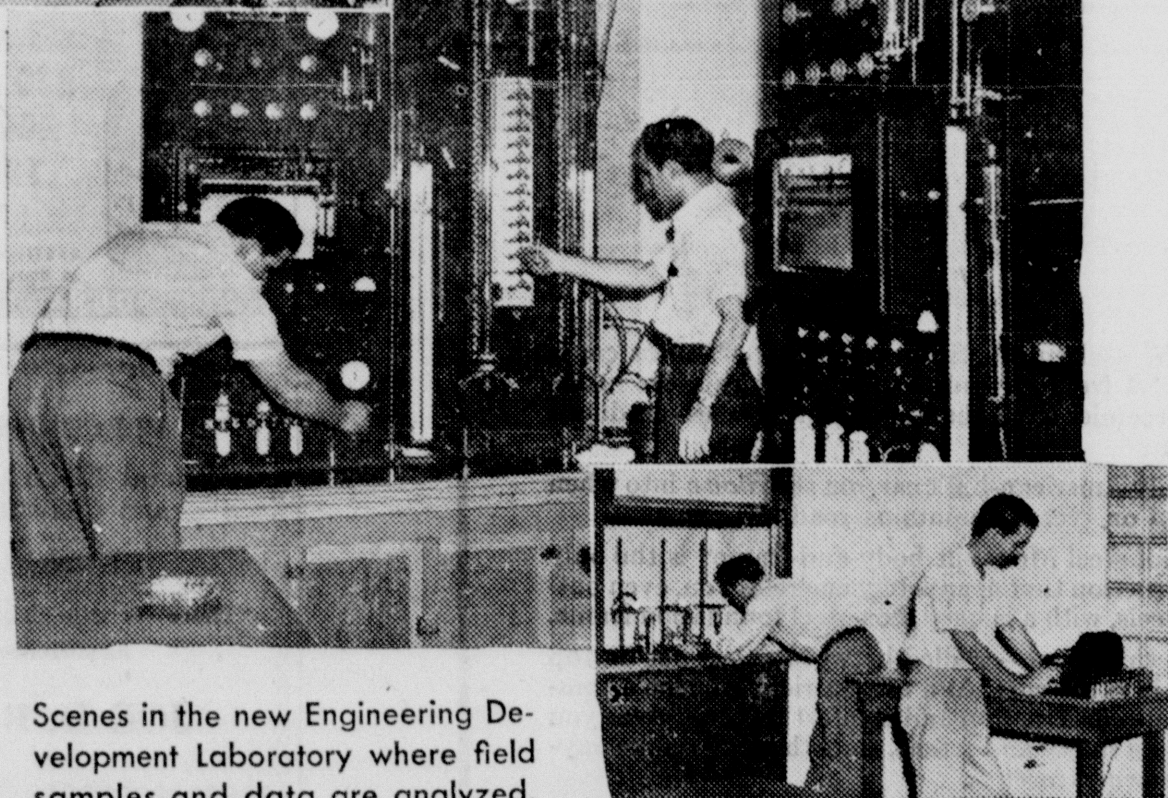
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Milano News

Milano FFA boys and HE girls enjoyed a day at the fat stock show in Houston recently.

Jack Wilkerson, who was injured in a wreck early in the week is improving in the St. Edwards Hospital.

Mrs. Mattie Pinkerton left Sunday for a visit with relatives at Salty.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pruett spent the week end in Houston and attended the fat stock show.

Mrs. Adrian McCowen and baby from Arkansas are here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thomas. She will leave Thursday for a visit in Houston.

Mrs. Ida Howes left Saturday for a visit with her children in Bryan and Houston.

We are glad to have as new citizens Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Woods. Mr. and Mrs. Woods are formerly of Cameron. They will make their home in Milano.

Greetings was received from Mr. and Mrs. Braun who left recently for

Chicago. They are enjoying their trip but it is very cold there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baggett spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baggett and friends in Milano. Mr. Baggett has been working in Houston for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Love spent the week end in Palestine visiting in the homes of her brothers John and Calvin Boedecker and families.

The Milano schools opened here Monday for a two weeks absence due to the bad weather and roads.

Mrs. Minnie Bailey of Haskell has concluded a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Ase McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sewell and daughter of Chriesman are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Willingham a few days this week.

DAUGHTER TO SYNATZSKES

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Synatzske of Thrawl are the proud parents of a baby daughter born January 31 in a Taylor Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds and three ounces and has been named Sunny Gayle. The couple have another daughter, Sherry Lynn. Mrs. Synatzske is the former, Fredia Kaatz of Buckholts. The grand parents are, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph I. Kaatz of Buckholts and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Synatzske of Buckholts.

DAUGHTER TO THE KRUSES

A telegram announcing the birth of a baby daughter to Mr. and Mrs. William Kruse of Herman, Nebraska was received by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Michalka. Mrs. Kruse will be remembered as the former Lillian Michalka.

Court House News

Marriages

Willie B. Sanders and Ella Mae Jones.

Preston Kelley and Fay Maxwell. A. Richard Ramsey and Mavis Shelley.

C. W. Robinson and Helen Jo Haley.

Frank L. Gaston and Marie Nicar.

Deeds

Beulah Worcester Elliott, to Thomas M. Kirk, 70½ acres of the J. L. Nicholson survey \$1,000.

O. F. Glenn to Josie Quebe Davis 50 feet off of the north side of lot No. 3 in block No. 4 of Highland Park Addition to City of Rockdale, \$10 and other valuable considerations.

Ray Lyman Young, 117 acres of the J. Clifford and J. J. McLaughlin surveys, \$10 and other valuable considerations.

Abe Fleischer et ux to A. N. Maddox, lot No. 1 in block No. 6 in original town of Cameron, \$8,650.

Vernon Roberts et ux to Dana I. Kestenbaum lots Nos. 7 and 8 in block No. 13 in the A. N. Green addition to City of Cameron, \$750.

John W. Sapp et ux to Dana S. Kestenbaum, lots Nos. 5 and 6 of block No. 13, and lots Nos. 3 and 4 in block No. 13 of the A. N. Green Addition to City of Cameron \$1,250.

Mary B. Adams to Albert William Abel, lots Nos. 9 and 10 of block No. 41 of town of Buckholts, \$225.

Arnold Krieg et al to Clement Synatzske, 92.5 acres of the Joel Moore league, \$10,000.

Clifton E. Howard et al to R. M. Mueck, 113 acres of the W. W. Lewis league and the Daniel Monroe league \$15,000.

Floyd W. Stork et ux to Leroy Otto Barkenmeyer, lots Nos. 1 and 2 in block No. 1 of west end addition in town of Buckholts, \$390.

A. B. Cobb et ux, to Mrs. Era Cobb, 46 1-3 acres of the Lee R. Davis and W. H. Clemons survey, \$10 and other considerations.

F. W. Rentcher et ux, to Mrs. Una Manous, lot 60 by 105 feet off of the north half of block No. 12 of the Freeman addition to City of Cameron \$3,000.

Edmond Wolf et al, to Wallace Brooks, lots Nos. 3 and 4 in block No. 53 of town of Rockdale \$200.

Mrs. C. V. Chandler to John Chandler et al, 50 acres of the Justo Liendo grant \$10.

E. M. Peebles and sons, to Frank F. Wiggins, Jr et ux, lot No. 3 of block No. 107 of City of Rockdale, \$6,775.

New Cars

E. B. Smith 1948 International Pickup.

F. H. Mahler 1947 Pontiac Fordor.

Cameron Fruit, Gro. Co. 1948 Chevrolet Town Sedan.

Frank J. Moraw 1948 Chevrolet Pickup.

James M. McCarthy 1948 Frazer Fordor.

H. H. Reat 1948 Willys Univ. Jeep.

Gilford Thweatt 1948 Chevrolet Coupe.

C. L. Tanner 1948 Chevrolet Town Sedan.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 22.

The Golden Text is: "Who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct him?" (I Corinthians 2:16).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsarchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out!" (Romans 11:33).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Allness is the measure of the infinite, and nothing less can express God" (page 336).

J. A. Walschak of Buckholts made a business trip to Cameron early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Lowe had as their Sunday guest, Mr. and Mrs. William Gee of Rockdale.

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Out of the 14 bouts there were only two technical knockouts.

The results were as follows:

Eldon Batte won over Bryce Mcclennen by a decision.

Glen Rosenberg won over Dean Fuller by decision.

Ray Thompson won over Charles Chandler by a technical knockout.

Johnny Mears won over Billy Jo Baggerly by decision.

Henry Heath won over W. K. Leonard by decision.

Billy Wayne Angell won over Charles Shuffield by decision.

Abel Garcia won over Claudia Sanders by decision.

Billy Jo Halpain vs. Frank Kamienicky by decision.

Leroy Sanders won over Nathan Offield by decision.

Sealey Riley won over Antone Matula by decision.

Paul Nabours won over Joe McClellan by decision.

John Sheehan won over Billy Neely by decision.

Tommy Gleason won over Edward Bishop by technical knockout.

Ralph Guerecks won over Clayton Kamenicky by decision.

Robert Zolt won over Howard Beale by decision.

MRS. BIGBEE FALLS

Mrs. Lottie Bigbee who has been visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bigbee in Palestine for over a month, fell during the freeze and suffered a lacerated face. She was taken to a clinic where her face was treated. She is improving but will prolong her visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Conn Moody, of Temple, spent Sunday here with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bigbee.

J. O. Hughes, former resident here and now teacher of English in the Union High School in Somerville, Alabama, sends in his renewal for another year. Mr. Hughes has been a reader of the Herald for many years and friends will be glad to have this news from him. He has been teaching in Alabama for a number of years since leaving his old home at Ad Hall.

Mrs. Margaret Kennedy of Inglewood, California and Mrs. Ida Castleberry of Vernon, Texas were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Harsha and grandfather Harsha.

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We wish to express our thanks to our many friends for their kind words and condolence during the illness of our dear loved one, Mrs. Caroline Bayer. The lovely floral offerings and for any assistance you gave will always be remembered.

Anton Bayer and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Harris and two sons have returned from a business trip to Houston. The Harris family recently moved here from Marlin. Mr. Harris is District Manager of Woodman of the World.

Babe Henrichsen has returned to his home at Edenburg after a visit with his mother Mrs. Ann Henrichsen and grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Cook of Cameron.

Joe and Annie Castleman and children of Beaumont spent the week end in the home of R. L. Baker and family of Marlow. Mr. Castleman is a minister of the Church of Christ and conducted the morning services at the Marlow church Sunday.

Roy Wright, FHA supervisor of Cameron is improving after a few days of illness at his home last week.

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Save Children Foundation Aids Many In Milam County First Year; Report of Work Is Made by Mrs. Carroll Green For Herald

Nine white, Mexican, and negro schools were benefited last year through the work of the Milam County Chapter of the Save the Children federation. School supplies, recreational equipment, Christmas packages, and school room repairs are some of the evidences of the efforts of the local organizations which was aided by individual sponsors for each school. Fine examples of the work is

noted in every community.

Activities of the Maysfield Mexican school, sponsored by the Highland Park Jr. High School at Dallas have been carried forward by cash contributions as well as books for the school library. The teacher, Mrs. Vera Bailey, has purchased with the cash fund much needed window shades water fountain, lumber for book shelves, a duplicator, and a ball and bat for recreation. Each child received a nice gift at their Christmas party.

The Hi-Lites Club, Highland Park High School at Dallas sponsors the North Elm Mexican and White School and this club has been generous with Christmas and Thanksgiving gifts for the children. For the cash fund, Mrs. Sam Houston, teacher, is buying playground equipment. This is already an adequately equipped school, but the children are encouraged with additional aid.

Hoyle Negro School is sponsored by Mr. R. C. Hill, Children's Memorial Fund, San Antonio; and with the aid of the County Superintendent, Mr. Charles F. Hicks and the local parents, the school building has been moved and remodeled with a good lunch program being started. Teacher Emeola Greer has used the cash funds for swings, seesaws, and other badly needed equipment.

The dental project, sponsored by the SCF at Cameron, matched funds of \$54.00 contributed by Mr. W. M. Gunn of Dallas, and nine children have already benefited by receiving dental repairs paid for by this fund. Organizations contributing to this worthwhile project are Business and Professional Club, Three Arts Club, Lions Club, Delphian Club, Pleasure and Profit Club, Women's Society of Christian Service of the Cameron Methodist Church, and Rockdale Lions Club.

Doll faces, donated by County Superintendent Hicks, were made into sixty rag dolls which were sewed together by Cameron and Milano Home Economics Departments, the school faculty, and the Business and Professional Club. The Hoover School of Temple donated one hundred doll strollers to the SCF committee and these were distributed with the dolls to needy children and twelve communities. Miss Mary Randolph, local chairman, was assisted by the Vocational Agriculture School in assembling the strollers. Twelve beautiful dolls were contributed by Mr. Jim Coleman toward the Christmas project.

During the new year, the committee is hoping to employ a county director for the clothing program now under way. Mrs. J. R. Hillman, Area

Rockdale Pioneer Is Buried Friday

ROCKDALE—Funeral services for Oscar B. Carroll, 77, were held here Friday with Rev. Millard Brown, pastor of Apostolic Faith church officiating. Burial was made at the IOOF cemetery.

Mr. Carroll, a native of Waco, Georgia, had lived in this section of Milam county for some 42 years. Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Fannie McBurnett Carroll; six daughters, Mrs. Banie Cass, Mrs. Buford Fitzgerald of Houston, Miss Ossie Mae Carroll of Rockdale, Mrs. Clarice Heisch of San Gabriel, Mrs. Gladys

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Heisch, Mrs. Opal Seaton; and Paul Carroll, a son, of Galveston; two brothers, James and M. B. Carroll of Waco, Ga.; 14 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Billy and Charles Claxton are leaving Sunday to join the navy. They are the sons of Mrs. Frank Claxton of Cameron.

SON TO THE HOLLOWAY'S

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holloway are the proud parents of a baby son born at the St. Edwards Hospital Feb. 10, 1948. The baby weighed seven pounds and two ounces and has been named Ronny. Mrs. Holloway is the former, Doris Ruth Donaldson.

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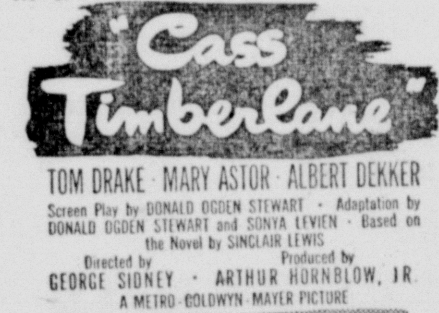
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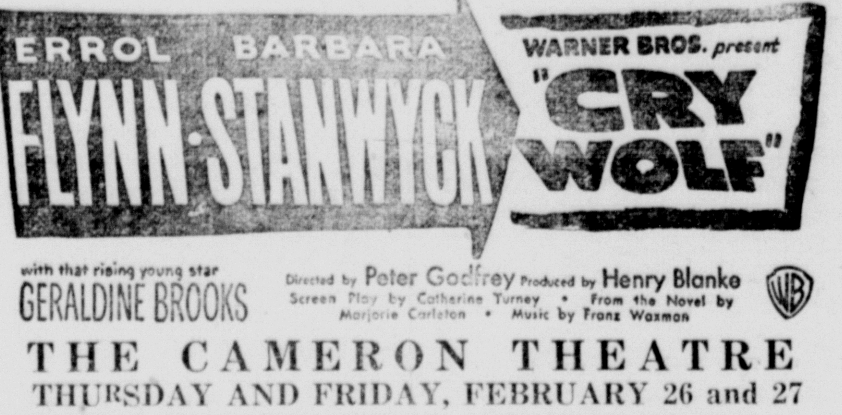
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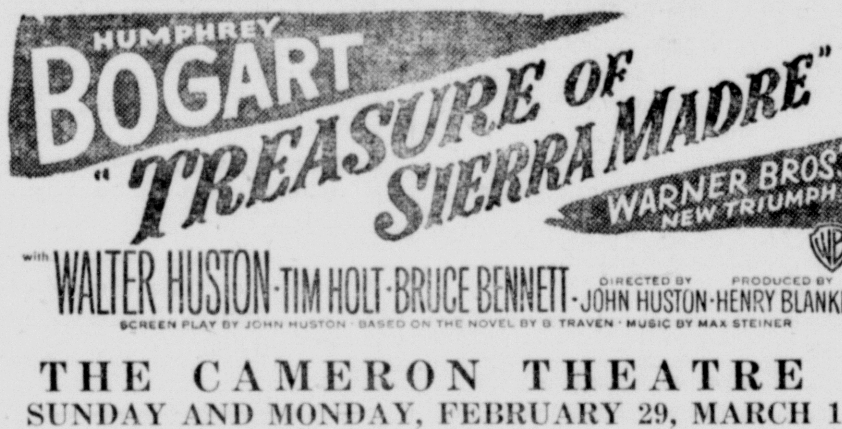
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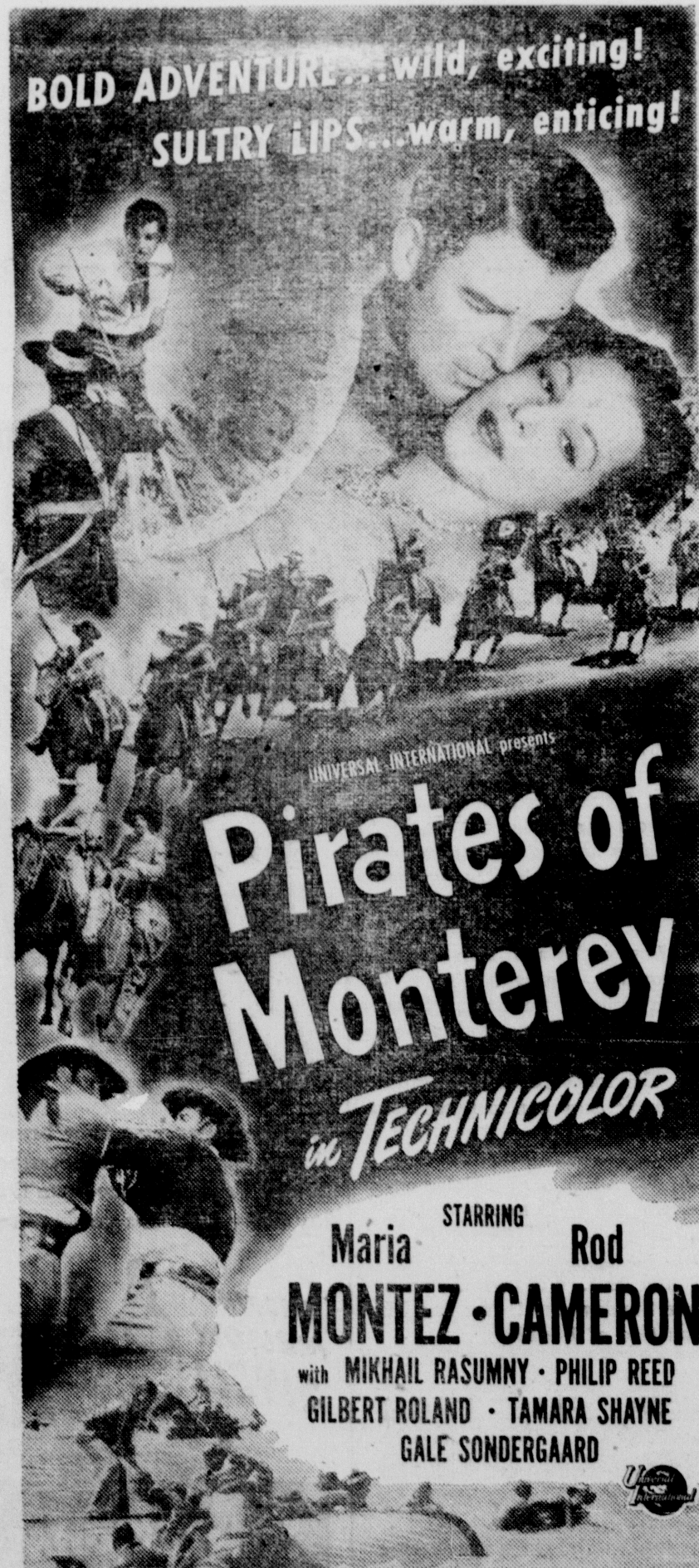
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21

"TEXAS"

William Holden and Clara Trevor

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, FEBRUARY, 22 and 23

"CASS TIMBERLINE"

Spencer Tracy and Lana Turner

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24 and 25

"CROSS FIRE"

Robert Young and Robert Mitchum

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26 and 27

"CRY WOLF"

Errol Flynn and Barbara Stanwyck

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28

"IF I HAD MY WAY"

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20 and 21

"WILD HORSE MESA"

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24 and 25

"FOXES OF HARROW"

Rex Harrison and Maureen O'Hara

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

"KILLER AT LARGE"

Robert Lowery and Anabel Shaw

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27 and 28

"WEST TO GLORY"

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THE MILAM THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29, MARCH 1

YOEMEN WON FIRST THREE GAMES PLAYED

The Cameron Yoemen won both games Friday by easy margin taking their first game from Georgetown by a score of 27 to 24 and won an easy victory in the second game with Rosebud by a score of 27 to 15.

Hearne took an easy victory over Belton by defeating Belton 52 to 21.

Rosebud took their first play with Franklin by defeating Franklin 22 to 18.

Taylor won their first game with Hearne by defeating Hearne 31 to 28.

Georgetown won over Belton in a close game with a score of 33 to 32.

In Friday nights game Franklin won over Hearne to the tune of 33 to 30.

The score was tied at the end of the game, 29 to 29, in the extra period of play Franklin scored two field goals and Hearne made one free pitch.

10:45 a. m.—Rosebud plays Georgetown.

There will also be a good game at 1 o'clock and another at 4:30 in the afternoon.

The Yoemen won over Taylor 35 to 25 in the first game Saturday morning and places the Yoemen in the finals tonight, if they lose tonight they will play the best two out of three for championship.

The game tonight will be against one of the following: Franklin, Georgetown, Rosebud or Taylor.

Highway 77 was due to get a new bridge across Elm Creek. The present bridge is narrow and of wooden structure.

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CAMBRON and ROCKDALE

Mrs. J. D. Lewis of Belmena was a welcome visitor in Cameron recently and will be a new reader on the Herald list this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Von Quintus of Austin spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Von Quintus' mother, Mrs. Emil Pfirdrescher of Cameron.

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Police Save Boy Pinned In Chimney for 17 Hours

NEW YORK.—Wedge for 17 hours in the chimney of a five-story Harlem apartment building, Henry Bishop, 6, was rescued by police.

They cut a hole through the wall of an apartment and pulled the frightened but unhurt boy to safety.

Henry said he went to the roof to play, climbed to the top of the chimney and suddenly felt himself sliding down out of sight. His body lodged against debris 15 feet below the opening.

A neighbor who had gone to the roof heard Henry's weak cries and called police.

New Friend Admits Strangling Woman

Unemployed Handyman Tells the Police of Murder.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. — The strangling of Mrs. Betty Ann Roberts was admitted orally, police reported, by an unemployed handyman who said he had known the comely 21-year-old victim only a few hours.

Detective Inspector Frank J. Sullivan and Assistant Prosecutor Roger C. McMahon indicated they would place charges against Dale Beauchamp, 26, after he had finished giving them a written statement.

Mrs. Roberts' body, a worn cotton dress wound tightly about the neck, was found stretched across the bed of her downtown Grand Rapids apartment. She was fully clothed.

Beauchamp, who is married, first told police he had found the woman dead when he came to the apartment to meet her after making her acquaintance three hours earlier in a bar.

Under questioning, the slightly built handyman admitted in his oral statement that he killed Mrs. Roberts in her home "because she called me bad names."

After leaving the bar, the officers said Beauchamp told them, the couple drove to a lake outside the city, parked for a time and then returned to the apartment. There, Beauchamp was quoted as saying, Mrs. Roberts began to call him names.

"I told her I wouldn't take those names from anyone, not even my wife," the officers said he related. "But she kept yelling at me and I told her to shut up or I'd tie her up. When she kept hollering, I tied her up with the dress and left."

Sullivan said Beauchamp told him he then bought some coffee and returned to his home in suburban Comstock Park, but began to wonder later whether he had killed the woman, and went back to the apartment.

Unable to determine whether she was dead, he told the authorities he called the apartment caretaker, Mrs. Donald Kraft, who summoned police.

The victim's husband, Forrest, told police he had been at work all day at a bakery and had no knowledge of his wife's slaying until called by police.

'Pal' on Train Vanishes With \$14,150 Life Savings

DETROIT, MICH. — Instead of looking for a new home in Detroit, Joseph Raczowski, 62, spent his first hours here looking over the pictures of pickpockets.

Raczowski lost his life's savings of \$14,150—\$700 was in cash and \$13,450 in two cashier's checks—as he stepped off a train here.

He told detectives that his seat companion on the ride here from Buffalo—a young, affable man—bumped into him as they started to get off the Michigan Central train.

After the bump, Raczowski felt for his wallet, discovered it was gone, and looked up to discover his affable friend was gone, too.

"I'd just sold my farm near Swayersville, Pa.," Raczowski said, "Me and my wife and son and daughter were coming to Detroit to live near my oldest son, Stanley."

Prisoner 'Eats Up' Jail Fixtures—Not Iron Bars

LAS VEGAS, NEV. — William Kmetetz, 28, a jail prisoner here, pried a dozen small wire springs off a cell bunk and swallowed them.

Kmetetz, held for San Diego police on a worthless check charge, was treated and returned to his cell. Then he broke an overhead light fixture and swallowed a quantity of glass. He was taken to a hospital.

Police Chief George Thompson, weary of the routine, asked San Diego authorities to hurry up and get Kmetetz "before he eats up our nice new jail."

Bonds Lost in Tornado Slowly Finding Way Back

OLEAN, N. Y.—Money thrown to the winds is slowly finding its way back to its owner, Harry Latham of Warren, Ohio.

A tornado last June leveled Latham's home and scattered several of his war bonds over two states. One bond was found by 17-year-old Loretta Putt, of Olean, in her father's hayfield. Latham reported seven other bonds have been returned from various points in Pennsylvania.

Billy Nabours Will Feed Calf Coming Year

Billy Nabours, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nabours catches calf in the Houston calf scramble at the stock show in Houston recently.

These calves are sponsored by business houses in Houston and Galveston. A. E. Pendarvin, general manager of the Houston calf scramble at Houston presented the calf to Billy. He will keep the calf, feeding and caring for it the coming year.

Next year at the Houston show the calf will be sold at public auction and Billy will receive the money for the care he has given the calf throughout the year.

Billy is a member of the FFA at Yoe High School.

EMIL ZAPALAC WAS KILLED WEDNESDAY

Former Cameron man, Emil Zapalac, age 30, was killed in a car accident near Rosenberg late Wednesday. Mr. Zapalac is the son of Joe Zapalac of Cameron and twin brother to Frank Zapalac.

Before moving to Rosenberg he made his home in and around Milam county. He is survived by a wife and two children.

Funeral services were held at Damon Mound, 20 miles south of Rosenberg.

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Y. W. A. Focus Week First Baptist Church

This is Y. W. A. Focus Week for the First Baptist church. A full program has been outlined for this week is commemorating the Y. W. A. It is composed of young women 16 to 25 years of age and Mrs. Earl Moseley is leader of the work in Cameron.

Monday at 7 p. m. the YWA mission study was held in the home of Mrs. L. L. Morriss. Wednesday at 8 p. m. the YWA presented a special program on "Presenting of the YWA Anniversary Citation," under the direction of Mrs. Earl Moseley. Thursday at 8 p. m. the girls will have a Ruby Heart party in the

home of Mrs. Earl Moseley. Saturday the girls will visit shut-ins. Sunday will close the week. The girls sit with their mothers in a reserve section of the morning service. Special recognition will be given to the organization.

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FARM OWNERSHIP MEET IS SET FOR NEXT FRIDAY

The annual farm ownership business and educational meeting will be held in the educational building of the First Baptist church Friday at 10 a. m., Roy M. Wright, county supervisor of FHA in Milam county, was announced.

The meeting is open to all families of farm owners who have purchased farms through the Farmers' Home administration. Mr. Wright urges each family to bring a basket lunch, which will be served in the dining room of the educational building at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. John Tindall and children, Johnnie and Leland and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ridout and Hugh Glynn spent Sunday in Brenham visiting Sam Tindall, who is running a Taxi station in Brenham.

Milton James Jistel Now Student At the State University

Milton James Jistel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jistel of Cameron has entered Texas University at Austin, after receiving his discharge in December from the U. S. Navy.

Mr. Jistel entered the service in March, 1946 and received his boot training in California. He was later sent to Florida for additional training in aviation and graduated in 1946 Mr. Jistel was retained as an instructor and transferred to the Athletic Department in Jacksonville. He was a life guard and swimming instructor for the rest of his Navy career. Mr. Jistel also played football on the Ordinance team and was selected all star center by the coaches in that conference.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Carleton of Victoria are spending a few days in Cameron with his father, L. R. Carleton and family.

RAISE IS GRANTED VETS IN SCHOOL

Two million veterans going to school under the GI bill of rights will get larger living allowances beginning April 1.

President Truman signed a bill Saturday which raises the subsistence allowance of single veteran students from \$65 a month to \$75, those with one dependent from \$90 to \$105, and those with two or more dependents from \$90 to \$120.

The new rates are estimated to cost the government an additional 217 million dollars a year. That's an average of \$108.50 for each GI scholar.

The Senate passed the bill last summer; the House Feb. 3.

Experts on the staff of the House veterans committee said that veteran students who have part-time jobs will be eligible for the new allowances, but their combined earnings and subsistence allowances will be held under a ceiling.

Those ceilings are \$175 a month on combined earnings and allowances for veterans without dependents, and \$200 for those with dependents. The ceilings are unchanged from the present law.

As an example, a veteran with dependents who has a part-time job paying \$150 a month will get \$50 subsistence. But if he earns \$200 or more, he won't be eligible for a government allowance.

The same ceilings on combined earnings and allowances are imposed on veterans taking on-the-job training under the GI bill of rights.

The House and Senate are trying to adjust differences on a bill which would raise the ceilings for such trainees. But if the ceilings are raised, they would not affect the GI students. The measure would apply to those working full time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Denson had as their week end guests their daughter Marjorie and friends, Janey Myers of Plano and Ann Harry of Shreveport, Louisiana.

Cameron Recruiting Office Announces Openings for Negroes

M-Sgt. C. G. Caperton, in charge of the Cameron U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Office, has announced a new Department of the Army policy for the enlistment of specially qualified Negroes within the Fourth Army Area for duty with specific ground force and technical service units.

Units for which men within the Fourth Army Area may enlist, including airborne units, are: 1st Battalion, 25th Infantry, 666th Transportation Corps Truck Company, 651st Medical Motor Ambulance Company, all at Fort Benning, Georgia; 29th Signal Light Battalion, Fort Bliss, Texas; 3rd Battalion, 9th Infantry, Fort Lewis, Washington; 14th Field Artillery Battalion, 506th Quartermaster Gas Company, both located at Camp Hood, Texas; and the 555th Parachute Infantry Battalion, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

The policy will remain effect until March 27th, M-Sgt. Caperton explained. Enlistments are for three, four or five years.

O'Daniel and Rayburn Receive Tax Rebates

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 — Sen. O'Daniel and Rep. Rayburn were the only members of Congress from Texas who obtained income tax refunds for the year ending June 30, 1947, the Internal Revenue Department announced Monday.

O'Daniel received a \$1,799 refund and Mrs. O'Daniel received a like amount. Rayburn received a refund of \$1,613.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the Cameron Firemen and friends for their good work and prompt response Tuesday when fire broke out in our home. You deserve every praise and consideration for your fine work. We want you to know it is greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reno

RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Ordinances of the City of Cameron, Texas, requires the holding of a regular annual election of officers for the said City of Cameron, Texas, for the year beginning in April, 1948.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMERON, TEXAS:

That a general election be held in said City of Cameron, Texas on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1948, the same being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purpose of electing the following officers to-wit:

Mayor of the City of Cameron, Texas.—Secretary and Treasurer of the City of Cameron, Texas, City Attorney of the City of Cameron, Texas City Marshal of the City of Cameron, Texas.—Two Aldermen of the City of Cameron, Texas, to succeed Aldermen Ben Reichert and August G. Kunz, whose term of office expire on said date: Each and all for the two year term ending on the first Tuesday of April, 1950, and it is hereby so ordered.

SAID ELECTION shall be held at the City Hall (The Old Cameron State Bank Building) in the City of Cameron, on said 6th day of April, 1948 and the following named and designated persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, and for all other elections which may be held in said City of Cameron during the year 1948: D. H. Slaughter Presiding Judge, and such other assistants and clerks as shall be appointed by said D. H. Slaughter to assist in holding said election, or elections, in accordance with the laws governing such cases. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections.

A copy of this Resolution and Order, signed by the Mayor of said City of Cameron, Texas, shall serve as proper notice of said election; and the Mayor is hereby directed to cause notice of said election to be posted at the place designated for holding said election and to be printed in the Official Organ of the City of Cameron or other newspaper printed in said City, for at least thirty days prior to the date of said election.

Offered by Alderman Terry. A motion made by Alderman Andres and duly seconded by Alderman Kunz carried unanimously adopting the above Resolution and Order of Election.

Passed by unanimous vote at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Cameron, Texas, on Tuesday the 17th day of February A. D. 1948, the same being the third Tuesday in said month; AND APPROVED February 17th, A. D. 1948.

A. W. McCULLIN, Mayor
City of Cameron, Texas
ATTEST: W. H. Stafford, Secretary
City of Cameron, Texas

JURY COMMISSION APPOINTED

Judge John Watson appointed a jury commission for the March term of district court at a meeting recently. They will draw grand and petit jurors for the term at their meeting February 13.

Commissioners are Dan Gunn of Cameron, Willis Vogelsang of Ben Arnold and Allen Varner of Gause.

Mrs. Dick Summers and Miss Albina Tomasek visited Tuesday with Mrs. George Vaughan.

DAUGHTER TO VICKERS

Mr. and Mrs. James Vickers of Rosebud are the parents of a six pound baby daughter born at Newton Memorial Hospital Sunday, February 17. They named the baby, Charlotte Ann. Mrs. Vickers is the former, La Nell Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Price of Cameron.

Mrs. John A. Smith and son visited relatives in Hillsboro during the week end.

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